

Table VII.B.2(2004) Percent of private-sector employees in establishments that offer health insurance by proportion of employees who are full-time or low-wage and State: United States, 2004

Division and State	Total	Percent Full-Time Employees			Percent Low-Wage Employees **	
		75% or more	50-74%	Less than 50%	50% or more	Less than 50%
United States	86.7%	91.9%	82.1%	67.1%	74.9%	91.7%
New England:						
Connecticut	91.9%	96.4%	88.1%	75.1%	82.4%	93.9%
Maine	80.7%	89.7%	84.4%	51.1%	62.5%	87.7%
Massachusetts	92.4%	96.8%	92.4%	73.0%	80.5%	95.2%
New Hampshire	88.3%	94.0%	87.4%	63.0%	87.3%	88.8%
Rhode Island	88.7%	91.7%	86.6%	83.1%	75.1%	92.3%
Vermont	80.5%	87.1%	84.4%	60.8%	61.7%	87.8%
Middle Atlantic:						
New Jersey	90.6%	93.2%	85.2%	87.0%	83.7%	92.8%
New York	89.3%	93.4%	87.9%	72.8%	75.8%	93.9%
Pennsylvania	92.6%	96.7%	89.6%	78.0%	80.0%	96.7%
East North Central:						
Illinois	89.0%	94.7%	85.1%	60.9%	76.6%	93.9%
Indiana	88.3%	92.7%	85.1%	73.5%	76.9%	93.2%
Michigan	89.2%	94.9%	84.2%	70.9%	75.2%	94.2%
Ohio	89.9%	95.6%	84.7%	71.8%	84.0%	94.0%
Wisconsin	86.6%	93.1%	84.1%	67.2%	70.4%	93.3%
West North Central:						
Iowa	85.5%	91.3%	72.9%	75.5%	76.6%	90.0%
Kansas	85.0%	90.9%	80.5%	67.0%	74.9%	91.5%
Minnesota	88.3%	94.2%	86.1%	74.2%	78.4%	92.4%
Missouri	88.1%	95.3%	75.6%	73.8%	80.5%	91.6%
Nebraska	80.4%	88.3%	72.1%	64.1%	62.4%	89.1%
North Dakota	74.3%	89.9%	53.3%	52.4%	47.8%	90.2%
South Dakota	79.6%	85.7%	79.3%	65.2%	72.3%	84.1%
South Atlantic:						
Delaware	91.1%	93.9%	91.2%	80.5%	87.1%	92.9%
District of Columbia	94.3%	97.1%	84.6%	75.2%	86.8%	96.0%
Florida	85.7%	90.5%	81.1%	55.6%	70.4%	91.0%
Georgia	85.3%	89.3%	73.5%	69.7%	76.8%	89.1%
Maryland	89.9%	93.6%	91.4%	67.7%	79.2%	92.9%
North Carolina	84.7%	89.5%	77.5%	69.0%	78.6%	88.6%
South Carolina	83.4%	88.0%	82.3%	61.2%	69.7%	91.0%
Virginia	90.6%	95.4%	90.7%	63.4%	81.9%	94.5%
West Virginia	81.4%	89.0%	73.6%	60.1%	73.5%	90.2%
East South Central:						
Alabama	87.4%	93.4%	54.8%	66.7%	74.6%	93.5%
Kentucky	88.2%	92.6%	78.4%	69.9%	72.5%	94.4%
Mississippi	80.1%	87.3%	75.6%	36.6%	71.2%	88.4%
Tennessee	86.3%	90.9%	92.6%	54.3%	86.3%	86.4%
West South Central:						
Arkansas	83.0%	90.1%	63.4%	52.8%	74.2%	88.7%
Louisiana	80.6%	85.7%	72.6%	53.6%	63.8%	89.3%
Oklahoma	81.0%	87.3%	79.1%	51.0%	67.1%	88.0%
Texas	81.1%	85.8%	74.0%	62.3%	70.9%	88.3%
Mountain:						
Arizona	83.9%	89.6%	70.2%	67.1%	68.3%	89.7%
Colorado	85.8%	91.6%	69.9%	66.5%	68.3%	91.9%
Idaho	75.1%	84.7%	69.8%	48.5%	64.2%	84.1%
Montana	68.0%	75.1%	67.6%	50.5%	54.4%	79.3%
Nevada	88.6%	91.7%	85.3%	74.7%	79.4%	91.9%
New Mexico	78.5%	86.5%	76.0%	44.2%	65.9%	87.5%
Utah	84.0%	90.2%	80.8%	62.6%	82.4%	84.9%
Wyoming	72.9%	78.9%	62.4%	59.5%	61.5%	80.6%
Pacific:						
Alaska	76.6%	86.3%	66.9%	51.6%	54.3%	81.0%
California	86.3%	92.0%	78.4%	61.3%	74.0%	90.6%
Hawaii	97.4%	98.0%	99.4%	88.6%	95.8%	98.1%
Oregon	80.2%	88.3%	86.0%	53.9%	64.1%	87.0%
Washington	80.4%	90.5%	82.6%	53.3%	62.0%	89.4%

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Table VII.B.2(2004) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees in establishments that offer health insurance by proportion of employees who are full-time or low-wage and State: United States, 2004

Division and State	Total	Percent Full-Time Employees			Percent Low-Wage Employees **	
		75% or more	50-74%	Less than 50%	50% or more	Less than 50%
United States	0.30%	0.24%	0.63%	1.65%	1.05%	0.22%
New England:						
Connecticut	1.01%	0.62%	7.36%	5.20%	8.86%	1.29%
Maine	2.71%	1.42%	4.10%	6.66%	7.09%	1.49%
Massachusetts	1.45%	0.62%	3.77%	6.60%	5.01%	0.82%
New Hampshire	1.49%	2.11%	3.29%	6.48%	3.86%	1.71%
Rhode Island	2.37%	2.06%	5.91%	8.27%	4.15%	2.38%
Vermont	2.26%	1.86%	4.07%	9.66%	4.82%	2.17%
Middle Atlantic:						
New Jersey	1.32%	2.03%	2.61%	5.88%	3.58%	0.89%
New York	1.13%	0.90%	1.76%	6.21%	5.14%	0.52%
Pennsylvania	0.85%	0.73%	2.60%	3.35%	2.97%	0.40%
East North Central:						
Illinois	0.74%	0.84%	3.97%	10.73%	6.59%	0.83%
Indiana	1.23%	1.36%	7.62%	10.31%	6.59%	0.58%
Michigan	1.27%	0.81%	3.60%	4.58%	2.42%	0.83%
Ohio	0.85%	0.53%	5.30%	7.49%	3.90%	0.62%
Wisconsin	1.43%	1.21%	10.29%	6.78%	6.63%	0.63%
West North Central:						
Iowa	1.48%	1.50%	6.12%	6.02%	5.34%	1.60%
Kansas	1.23%	1.20%	7.70%	10.32%	4.73%	1.83%
Minnesota	1.86%	0.90%	3.41%	4.88%	5.24%	0.91%
Missouri	1.98%	0.95%	6.23%	6.94%	7.83%	2.66%
Nebraska	1.84%	2.45%	7.62%	7.29%	3.19%	2.04%
North Dakota	3.65%	1.54%	8.93%	6.14%	5.83%	1.30%
South Dakota	1.60%	1.97%	9.43%	2.27%	1.66%	1.95%
South Atlantic:						
Delaware	1.33%	1.13%	3.94%	9.16%	9.38%	1.56%
District of Columbia	0.96%	0.40%	4.69%	11.77%	10.86%	0.59%
Florida	1.62%	1.21%	3.73%	8.50%	4.65%	0.83%
Georgia	1.60%	1.55%	9.64%	6.09%	3.93%	1.32%
Maryland	2.36%	1.62%	8.18%	7.15%	6.89%	1.31%
North Carolina	1.79%	1.26%	8.78%	8.77%	2.71%	2.00%
South Carolina	2.06%	3.60%	5.44%	6.30%	5.48%	1.14%
Virginia	2.04%	0.92%	4.57%	11.30%	4.50%	0.99%
West Virginia	1.59%	0.73%	9.27%	7.61%	3.36%	1.88%
East South Central:						
Alabama	1.82%	1.16%	8.52%	11.22%	3.69%	0.69%
Kentucky	1.08%	1.17%	5.62%	7.35%	4.49%	0.99%
Mississippi	1.74%	1.57%	10.48%	8.41%	6.95%	1.74%
Tennessee	1.76%	0.84%	4.16%	9.71%	3.08%	2.49%
West South Central:						
Arkansas	1.91%	0.84%	7.33%	7.17%	3.29%	1.64%
Louisiana	2.20%	2.31%	9.90%	9.77%	10.45%	2.19%
Oklahoma	2.14%	2.02%	7.91%	8.81%	4.71%	2.65%
Texas	1.19%	1.26%	4.62%	9.72%	2.81%	0.98%
Mountain:						
Arizona	2.20%	1.93%	8.02%	11.07%	5.56%	1.64%
Colorado	1.92%	2.22%	9.50%	9.34%	8.02%	2.03%
Idaho	2.14%	2.32%	8.72%	10.28%	6.17%	0.93%
Montana	4.38%	3.59%	10.61%	9.40%	8.22%	3.07%
Nevada	1.27%	1.49%	8.35%	6.75%	8.25%	0.99%
New Mexico	2.17%	1.97%	4.33%	6.31%	4.83%	1.37%
Utah	2.01%	1.30%	8.52%	9.64%	6.50%	2.20%
Wyoming	2.44%	3.31%	7.34%	6.40%	6.43%	3.12%
Pacific:						
Alaska	2.76%	2.58%	8.98%	7.88%	9.22%	1.95%
California	0.55%	0.59%	3.79%	2.81%	2.18%	0.65%
Hawaii	0.57%	0.57%	1.53%	5.94%	1.15%	0.65%
Oregon	2.28%	1.68%	8.87%	6.94%	6.31%	1.72%
Washington	4.07%	1.90%	4.48%	6.36%	7.64%	1.57%

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